GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Endowments Department – Setting up of Solar Power Plant in Krishna District to meet the captive power requirements of major temples – Competitive bidding – Orders – Issued.

REVENUE (ENDTS.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 235 Dated: 04-03-2016

Read:

1) Govt. Memo. No. 140293/ Endts.II(1)/ 2016, dated 22.1.2016.
2) From the V.C. & M.D., NREDCAP, Hyderabad Letter No. NREDCAP/ OSD/ Endts/ 2016, dated 28.1.2016.

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In the reference 1st read above, Government have decided to set up solar power project in Krishna District of about 10 megawatts to supply power to major temples and if necessary to extend to other smaller temples and Endowment institutions as well. NREDCAP was asked to inspect the site indicated by the Endowments Department in Krishna District and submit a feasibility report. NREDCAP was also directed to examine the solar power project taken up by TTD recently.

2. In this connection, V.C. & M.D., NREDCAP, Hyderabad vide his letter 2nd read above has submitted his report and requested the Government to issue further directions in the matter.

3. After careful examination of the report of V.C. & M.D., NREDCAP, Hyderabad, Government hereby issue the following directions to set up Solar Power Plant at Tirumalagiri Village, Jaggayyapeta Mandal in Krishna District to meet the captive power requirements of major temples:

i) Superintending Engineer (Endts.) is directed to file application before APSPDCL for obtaining a technical feasibility report.
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ii) A Committee consisting of VC & MD, NERDCAP as Chairman and , S.E. (Endts.), Dy. EE (Endts.) at Vijayawada, S.E. (APTRANSCO), based at Vijayawada and SE (APCPDCL) based at Vijayawada as members is hereby constituted to finalise tender conditions for competitive bidding. The Chairman of the Committee will constitute a secretariat in his office to handle this project.

iii) This Committee shall meet quickly and finalise tender conditions/ documents within 10 days.

iv) The lease amount that is paid by the successful bidder for the land will be credited to the temple which owns this land. The following time lines should be followed:

a) Finalise tender conditions by 18.3.2016.
b) Issue of tender notice by 22.3.2016.
c) Opening of tenders by 11th April, 2016.
d) Finalization successful bidder by 20.4.2016.
e) Signing of Agreement by successful bidder 30.4.2016.

f) Commencement of work at site from 15.5.2016.
g) By 30.09.2016 commission the project.

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v) The Commissioner, Endowments will hand over the land to the successful bidder before 30.4.2016.

vi) The agreement with the successful bidder will be signed by the Commissioner of Endowments/ Superintending Engineer (Endts.) will be representative of the Endowments Department.

vii) Superintending Engineer (Endts.) shall pay the statutory fee immediately from the available CGF funds to avoid delay.

viii) The service and professional charges of NEREDCAP shall be fixed at 0.25% of the estimated project cost and it will be paid by the Commissioner of Endowments/ Superintending Engineer (Endts.)from out of the CGF grants and later recovered from all the temples concerned benefitting from the Project. These charges shall be released to NEREDCAP within 15 days of commissioning the project.

ix) After commissioning of the project successfully a monitoring unit shall be created in the office of Commissioner, Endowments to periodically monitor the functioning of the power project.

4. Keeping in view the above directions, the Commissioner, Endowments Department and VC & MD, NREDCAP, Hyderabad shall take further immediate necessary action to implement the 10 MW capacity solar power plant at Tirumalagiri Village, Jaggayyapeta Mandal, Krishna District.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

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PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
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The V.C. & M.D., NREDCAP, Hyderabad.
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